

Introduced by Senator Machado

February 24, 2006

An act to repeal Section 3070 of the Penal Code, relating to prisoners.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SB 1828, as introduced, Machado. Prisoners: substance abuse treatment.

Existing law requires the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation to develop and report to the Legislature, by December 31, 2000, a plan that would ensure that all prisoners and parolees who are substance abusers receive appropriate treatment.

This bill would repeal that provision.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: no. State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 3070 of the Penal Code is repealed.
- 2 3070. ~~The Department of Corrections shall develop and~~
- 3 ~~report, utilizing existing resources, to the Legislature by~~
- 4 ~~December 31, 2000, a plan that would ensure by January 1, 2005,~~
- 5 ~~that all prisoners and parolees who are substance abusers receive~~
- 6 ~~appropriate treatment, including therapeutic community and~~
- 7 ~~academic programs. The plan shall include a range of options,~~
- 8 ~~estimated capital outlay and operating costs for the various~~
- 9 ~~options, and a recommended prioritization, including which~~

- 1 ~~persons shall receive priority for treatment, for phased~~
- 2 ~~implementation of the plan.~~

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